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## Mexico

### Agricultural Situation

### Import Monitoring Program for 2003

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**Report Highlights:**

The Secretariat of Treasury published on December 30, 2002, the 2003 Fiscal Budget Law of the Federation which includes the monitoring of certain agricultural imports from the United States and Canada.

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Includes PSD Changes: No  
Includes Trade Matrix: No  
Unscheduled Report  
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**Introduction:** This report summarizes an announcement published in Mexico's "*Diario Oficial*" (Federal Register) on December 30, 2003.

**Disclaimer:** This summary is based on a  *cursory* review of the subject announcement and therefore should not, under any circumstances, be viewed as a definitive reading of the regulation in question, or of its implications for U.S. agricultural export trade interests. In the event of a discrepancy or discrepancies between this summary and the complete regulation or announcement as published in Spanish, the latter shall prevail.

**FAS/Mexico's Executive Summary:** The Secretariat of Treasury published on December 30, 2002, in the *Diario Oficial* (Federal Register), the 2003 Fiscal Budget Law of the Federation that is in force as of January 1, 2003. The Law indicates that due to the emergency situation in the agricultural sector, the Federal Government will strictly monitor certain imports from the United States and Canada. The executive branch will provide a monthly report to the Congress about the status of imports of these products. If there is an increase in imports from the U.S. or Canada compared to previous year's imports that could imply damage to domestic production, the executive will initiate immediately safeguard investigations according to the Foreign Trade Law.

**Title:** 2003 Fiscal Budget Law of the Federation.

**Important Dates**

1. **Publication Date:** December 30, 2002
2. **Effective Date:** January 1, 2003

**List of Products Affected:**

HTS Code	Description
	<b>Pig and Poultry Fat</b>
0209.00.01	Of chicken or Turkey
0209.00.99	Other
	<b>Pig fat (including lard) and poultry fat, other than that of heading 02.09 and 15.03.</b>
1501.00.01	Pig fat (including lard) and poultry fat, other than that of heading 02.09 and 15.03.
	<b>Barley</b>
1003.00.02	Grain, in the husk, other than that under subheading 1003.00.01
1003.00.99	Other
	<b>Meat and edible offal, of the poultry of heading 01.05, fresh, chilled or frozen.</b>
0207.11.01	Not cut in pieces, fresh or chilled
0207.12.01	Not cut in pieces, frozen
	Of ducks, geese, or guineas
0207.32.01	Not cut in pieces, fresh or chilled
02.07.33.01	Not cut in pieces, frozen
	Of turkeys
0207.24.01	Not cut in pieces, fresh or chilled
0207.25.01	Not cut in pieces, frozen
	Industry Products
	Cuts and offal, fresh or chilled
0207.13.01	Mechanically deboned

HTS Code	Description
	Cuts and offal, frozen
0207.14.01	Mechanically deboned
	Not cut in pieces, fresh or chilled
0207.26.01	Mechanically deboned
0207.26.99	Other
	Cuts and offal, frozen
0207.27.01	Mechanically deboned
0207.27.99	Other
	<b>Carcasses</b>
	Cuts and offal, fresh or chilled
0207.2602	Carcasses
	Cuts and offal, frozen
0207.27.03	Carcasses
	<b>Hams, shoulders and cuts thereof, with bone in.</b>
0203.12.01	Hams, shoulders and cuts thereof, with bone in.
0203.22.01	Pork legs, shoulders and cuts thereof, with bone in
	<b>Potatoes, fresh or chilled</b>
0701.90.99	Other

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